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In re Application of:) Art Unit:
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PROTEIN AND MONOCLONAL...)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

S i r :

Contemporaneous with the filing of this case and
prior to calculation of a filing fee and examination on the
merits, kindly amend as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification by inserting after
the title but before "Background of the Invention" the
following:

--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

A1 This application is divisional application of
copending application no. 09/050,249, filed March 30, 1998,
which is a continuation of application no. 08/502,535, filed
July 14, 1995, now issued as U.S. Patent no. 5,912,324.--

Page 2, lines 27-28, delete "in SEQ ID NOs:1 and 2"
and insert therefor 1--corresponding to amino acid residues 26-
A2 43 and 79-103 of SEQ ID NO:2--.